## EXHIBIT C

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

SCOTT D. DALESANDRO, et al., On behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated,

Judge Sandra S. Beckwith

Case No.: C-1-01-109

Plaintiffs,

v.

THE INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY,

Defendant.

## **DECLARATION OF THERESA L. GROH**

- I, Theresa L. Groh, under penalty of perjury pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 1746, declare as follows:
- 1. I supervised the implementation of the notice plan that was set forth in the Settlement Agreement and in the parties' Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval in this case.
- 2. On September 27, 2005 I mailed a copy of the Notice Materials by First Class U.S. Mail to the last known address of each Class Member. I used the address information contained in Defendant's employment records and in my records which I had updated from time to time when Class Members contacted me with address changes in the years that this litigation has been pending. Moreover, I had previously sent notice to these same Class Members using this address information and had achieved a successful delivery to all but one Class Member.
- 3. Upon the receipt of the few undeliverable Notice Materials returned by the postal service, I used Class Representative Diane Noonan, other Class Members, a National Change of

Address database, and other internet resources to obtain updated address information. I then resent the Notice Materials until there were no returns from the postal service.

- 4. As of this date of this Declaration, I have received no written objections and no notices that a Class Member or his or her attorney will be appearing at the Fairness Hearing on November 16, 2005.
  - 5. As of the date of this Declaration I have received 100 signed Releases.

So declared this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 2005, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Theresa L. Groh